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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

JOSE GARNICA AND MARLENE GARNICA,

Plaintiff.

-AGAINST-

BROOKFIELD FINANCIAL PROPERTIES, L.P., BLACKMON-MOORING-STEAMATIC CATASTOPHE, INC., D/B/A BMS CAT, AND HILLMAN ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP, LLC.,

Defendants.

21 MC 102 (AKH)

INDEX NO.: 07CV8725

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ANSWER
TO MASTER COMPLAINT

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT Defendant, BMS Catastrophe, Inc. s/h/a Blackmon-Mooring-Steamatic Catastophe, Inc. d/b/a BMS Catastrophe, by their attorneys, Methfessel & Werbel, as and for their response to the allegations set forth in the Complaint by Adoption (Check-Off Complaint) Related to the Master Complaint filed in the above referenced action, hereby adopts their Answer and defenses to the Master Complaint, dated July 26, 2007, which was filed in the matter of: *In Re World Trade Center Lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation, 21 MC 102 (AKH)*.

To the extent that Defendant's Answer to the Master Complaint does not comprehensively address any of the specific allegations within the Check-Off Complaint in the above captioned matter, Defendant, Defendant, BMS Catastrophe, Inc., denies knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of such specific allegations.

WHEREFORE, the defendant, Defendant, BMS Catastrophe, Inc., demands judgment dismissing the above captioned action as against them, together with costs, disbursements and such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

DATED: New York, New York January 25, 2008

## METHFESSEL & WERBEL, ESQS.

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## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

The undersigned hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. I am employed by the law firm of Methfessel & Werbel.
- 2. On January 25, 2008 the undersigned prepared and forwarded copies of the undersigned prepared and forwarded copies of the within Notice of Adoption , via ECF, to the following parties:

David L. Kremen, Esq. Oshman & Mirasola, LLP 42 Broadway, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10004 Attorneys for: Plaintiff

All Defense Counsel

3. I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are wilfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Frank J. Keenan